

THE HIGGINSVILLE FAIR

Cool Weather Helped in the Attendance Thursday.

The Lafayette County Fair this year as usual drew big crowds the latter part of this week. Tuesday was the opening day and the attendance was small. Wednesday more came out. Then came the much-heralded, eagerly-expected, almost despaired of cold wave; and the crowd Thursday was enormous.

Of course you said you were not going this year—"same old thing, nothing new to me"—and then you kept thinking about it and finally decided you had better take a look at it. And now you are glad you did, aren't you?

As to the fair itself, it was largely the same old thing. But the same old thing was pretty attractive, after all. There was racing which always stirs some interest; there were daily ball games which Higginsville lost; there were the refreshment stands, which help some; there was excellent music by Hiner's band of Kansas City, and that in itself was worth going for; there was the display of farm products, garden truck, fancy work, and home cooking; there was everything as usual but the merry-go-round and the fake shows. The public this year was not allowed the privilege of gazing upon the gentleman who "eats 'em alive" or of donating money to see where the arrow stops.

The main thing about the fair is the crowd. You can see your cousin from Dover who has not been able to get up your way for the past year; you can see that young lady from Waverly who is married now; you can see your aunt from Mayview who invites you to one of the best basket dinners that you ever greased your hands on; you can see that blue-eyed lassie from Corder who makes you begin to figure on when you can buy a house; in fact you can see about anybody in the country. So you very wisely go and have a good time.

The fair this year caused very little rowdyism. The drunks, spud-handlers and grafters were conspicuously absent. Everything went off in an orderly manner.

Undoubtedly the Lafayette County Fair is a good thing and deserves perpetuation.

William Aull was in Higginsville yesterday on business.

Cecil Morris returned Wednesday evening from a visit in Lincoln, Nebraska.

Mrs. G. P. Warren, Miss Maude Hagood and Miss Kate Taubert left Wednesday night to visit relatives and attend the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. William Palmer returned Wednesday from an extended trip through the east.

E. B. Campbell returned Wednesday from a business trip to Kansas City.

Mrs. F. H. Catron and daughter, Miss Mattie Lou, arrived Wednesday evening from an extended visit in Colorado.

Mrs. Fred Braun and two children returned yesterday to Wellington after a few days' visit here with friends.

G. P. Hammer returned Thursday evening from a two weeks' stay in Excelsior Springs.

W. B. Waddell went to Kansas City yesterday to spend a couple of days on business.

Dr. E. J. Kaempff went to Kansas City yesterday to spend the day on professional business.

Misses Morrison and McFadin Entertain.

Miss Elizabeth Morrison and Miss Fannie McFadin entertained twenty-five young people Friday evening at the home of the former, 1601 Franklin avenue, in honor of Miss Buelah Austin of Kansas City. Progressive whist was the game played. Miss Mary Berrie won the ladies' prize and Mr. Ralph Campbell the gentlemen's prize, both handsome books. Miss Austin received the guest's prize, a souvenir spoon.

The evening was a pleasant one in every particular. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Porch Party.

Monday afternoon from 3 to 6:30 o'clock Miss Atha Dewees gave a porch party at her home on North Seventeenth Street, in honor of Miss Lola Britton of Harrisonville, Mo. The time was pleasantly spent in playing different games and several guessing contests were presented. One very interesting one was the naming of various drawings by Christy, Hutt, Gilson and several other favorite artists.

About seventeen young ladies were present, including Misses Gertrude and Helen Holman of Cartersville, Mo.

Delightful and cooling refreshments were served and Miss Dewees proved herself an altogether charming young hostess.

Warner Bishop Celebrates His Twelfth Birthday.

Little Warner Bishop entertained twenty-four of his young friends Monday evening at his home 1703 Main Street. These little friends were invited to help Warner celebrate his twelfth birthday. The evening was spent in the open playing various games. Refreshments consisting of ice cream and a variety of cake were served to the guests.

The host was the recipient of many handsome and useful gifts.

Mrs. J. W. Winn went to Kansas City yesterday to spend the day.

Frank Weis returned Thursday night from a few days' visit in Kansas City.

Miss Laura Hyde went to Kansas City yesterday for a visit with relatives.

E. N. Hopkins left yesterday for Shelbyville, Kentucky, to visit relatives for a few days.

Col. Sanford Sellers returned yesterday from a business trip to Colorado.

Ed Barron returned yesterday from a few days' stay in Kansas City.

Jas. R. Moorehead went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

Prof. and Mrs. M. J. Patterson and little daughter, Elizabeth, returned Wednesday night from an extended stay in Green Mountain Falls, Colorado.

Judge and Mrs. Rich and three daughters arrived Wednesday to make Lexington their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Brooks of Portland, Oregon, arrived Thursday evening to visit the family of F. A. Day.

Marriage licenses have been issued to:

James Garrett Corder
Mary F. Wood Corder
Nelson A. Waller Wellington
Bertha M. C. Hardin Wellington
Hubert T. Redd Dover
Vernor Nichols Mexico

Dover Notes.

H. L. Corbin had business in Kansas City this week.

Vivian and Ed Dysart shipped cattle to Kansas City Monday.

Webb Cole had business in Corder Tuesday.

Will Corbin went to southern Illinois last week to buy stock.

Mrs. Phillip Wahl spent Tuesday in Lexington.

Miss Sallie Chrisman of Marshall, Mo., is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Dinwiddie.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harwood moved this week to the J. R. Plattenburg farm north of town.

Mrs. Steve McGee and little daughter, Merle, left Saturday for their home at Slater after a several days' visit with F. J. McGee and family.

Bruce Pollard of Middle Grove, Mo., is visiting with his uncle, F. L. Cox, and family.

Claude Turman and wife came in Tuesday night from Durant, Oklahoma, for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Turman.

Frank Zeyzing and wife were called to Joplin, Mo., the last of the week by the death of Mrs. Zeyzing's step-father, who was killed while inspecting mines at that place.

Eld. Ferguson, wife and little son, Harry, Eld. Carter, wife and daughter, Mrs. S. C. Landrum, spent Wednesday at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. David Slusher.

J. R. Plattenburg and family of Higginsville spent Sunday here.

Mrs. James Ferguson arrived from Columbia, Mo., to join her husband who has been conducting the August meeting here the past two weeks.

Little Miss Lucile Pitman, who has been making an extended visit here with friends left Thursday for her home at Enid, Okla.

Mrs. W. C. Barnes and two little daughters and Miss Katherine Weedon of near Lexington were guests several days this week of relatives and friends here.

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Cathier and baby son of Loring, La., are visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cathier, at their home north of town.

Mrs. Elizabeth White is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Jno. Dysart, at Higginsville.

Mrs. Wm. Pauling and daughter, Mrs. James Jacobs, spent last week near Lexington with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Harwood, their sons, Carl and Willie, and their guest, Ben McGee, spent last Thursday at Hodge with Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Edwards.

Mrs. Jennie B. Carter of Columbia is here this week the guest of her brother, Dr. W. G. Harwood and family.

Roy Bertrand left Saturday to learn telegraphy at Sedalia, Mo.

Mrs. M. C. McFadin of Lexington spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Cooper.

Charlie Cox left Sunday for a six week's trip to Colorado Springs and other points in the west.

Roy Bertrand left Monday to begin his school at Columbia.

Mrs. William Simpson and daughter, Mrs. A. S. Loomis, returned Wednesday evening from a few days' visit in Kansas City.

Miss Clara Bogt of Montgomery City, Mo., arrived Wednesday evening to visit her sister, Mrs. R. L. Britt.

Mrs. C. F. Alger went to Kansas City Thursday to spend the day.

Corder Notes.

Miss Edna Corder entertained the Young Ladies' Tennis Club to a melon party on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. John Smith, Sr. Nearly all members of the club were present and enjoyed another one of those pleasant evenings that is usual to this set of entertainers. In a smelling contest Mrs. O. J. Wollenman won highest honors and others distinguished themselves in string following contest. For refreshments melons were served and were something novel. Miss Corder is quite a popular entertainer and made everyone feel that they had had a good time.

The school board here has voted \$75 for the benefit of a school library for the school in this city. The library will be composed of the best reference books and is indeed a timely need of the school. At the board meeting recently it was also decided that school would start on Sept. 12, instead of Sept. 5 as was rumored.

Miss Mary Woods and Mr. James Garrett accompanied by Miss Myrtle Woods and Mr. Robert Woods drove to Lexington Monday and were quietly married in that city, returning to Corder the same evening. The wedding was not wholly a surprise to Corder people and had been expected by some for a long time. Both contracting parties have lived most of their life in Corder and are well known here. We wish them unbounded success throughout life. They will probably make their home in this city.

The German Methodist Camp meeting which was going on

about half way between here and Higginsville was discontinued Sunday. The meetings had been going on for four days and were well attended. The services were conducted by ministers from different places as Rev. Meyer was called away at the beginning on account of the illness of his brother in another section of the country.

All of the ball fans that went to Higginsville last Sunday to see Corder "Lay it on 'em," were badly disappointed when they watched Corder drink the bitter cup of defeat and Higginsville went off the field the victors 3 to 1. The Corder nine was weakened by the absence of a few good players, but Bunch was as easy to find as a gold brick and Corder's swatters got nine hits off him. Higginsville only got eight hits, but out fielded the Corder bunch. Corder will show some real fancy playing on next Sunday when New Germany marches over to this place and plays the last game between these teams on our diamond.

C. M. Holman went to Kansas City Tuesday to buy some cattle.

Miss Leah Frerking entertained a large number of her friends at her home on South Elizabeth street last Sunday. An elegant dinner was served.

Little Miss Flossie Talent of Kansas City is visiting this week with her relatives in this city.

Miss Grace VanArsdall of Mayview is the guest of the Misses Nina and Bernice Ham in this city this week.

Miss Jodie Hackley returned home last Thursday from Columbia where she has been attending summer school. She will teach

the South school in Higginsville this term.

A number of persons from here attended the ice cream supper at Bethel church, south of this city on last Saturday night.

Horace Corder went to Kansas City Saturday morning for a visit with friends.

About fifty persons from this city attended the picnic in Mayview on Saturday and they all report a good time. The Corder band furnished the music for the occasion and as usual was highly complimented on its excellent music.

The Misses Dankenbring of Sweet Springs were the guests of the family of Harry Rodekohr this week.

We are sorry to learn of a fall which Mrs. Hickman sustained last week. Mrs. Hickman lives with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hitt. During the winter she broke several bones by slipping and falling to the ground. She was recovering from this fall when she again fell and suffered a badly sprained arm. Her condition is not believed to be very serious.

Miss Buelah Garnett of Kansas City is visiting in this city with her brother, Dave Garnett.

Sydney Willis of Armstrong was the guest of Dale Wilson in this city the first of the week.

Miss Edna Frerking was a Kansas City visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Miller returned home this week after a two week's visit with friends in Spickard, Mo.

Misses Mabel and Emily Blankin, of Waverly visited Corder friends this week.

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